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## In Re PATENT APPLICATION OF

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| Filed      | : | June 13, 2001  | )<br>)                                       |
| For        | : | SUSCEPTIBILITY AND RESISTANCE<br>GENES FOR BIPOLAR AFFECTIVE<br>DISORDER | 26694<br>U.S. PATENT AND<br>TRADEMARK OFFICE |
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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 3, 2004 in the above-referenced application, please amend the application as indicated below and consider the remarks that follow:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.